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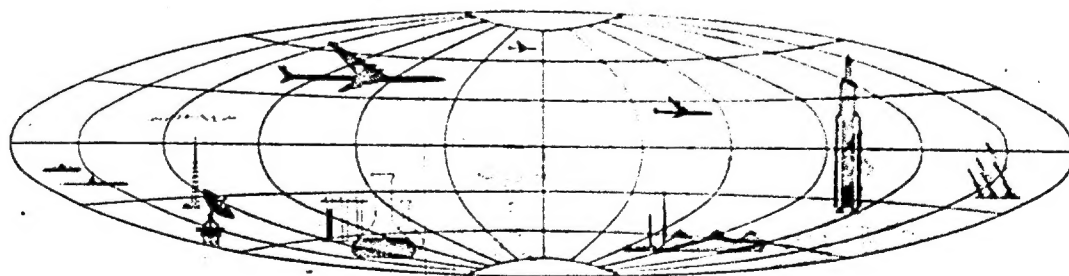
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USSURIYSK TRAINING AREA KORSAKOVKA

(43-45N 131-34E)

USSURIYSK, PRIMORSKIY KRAY, USSR

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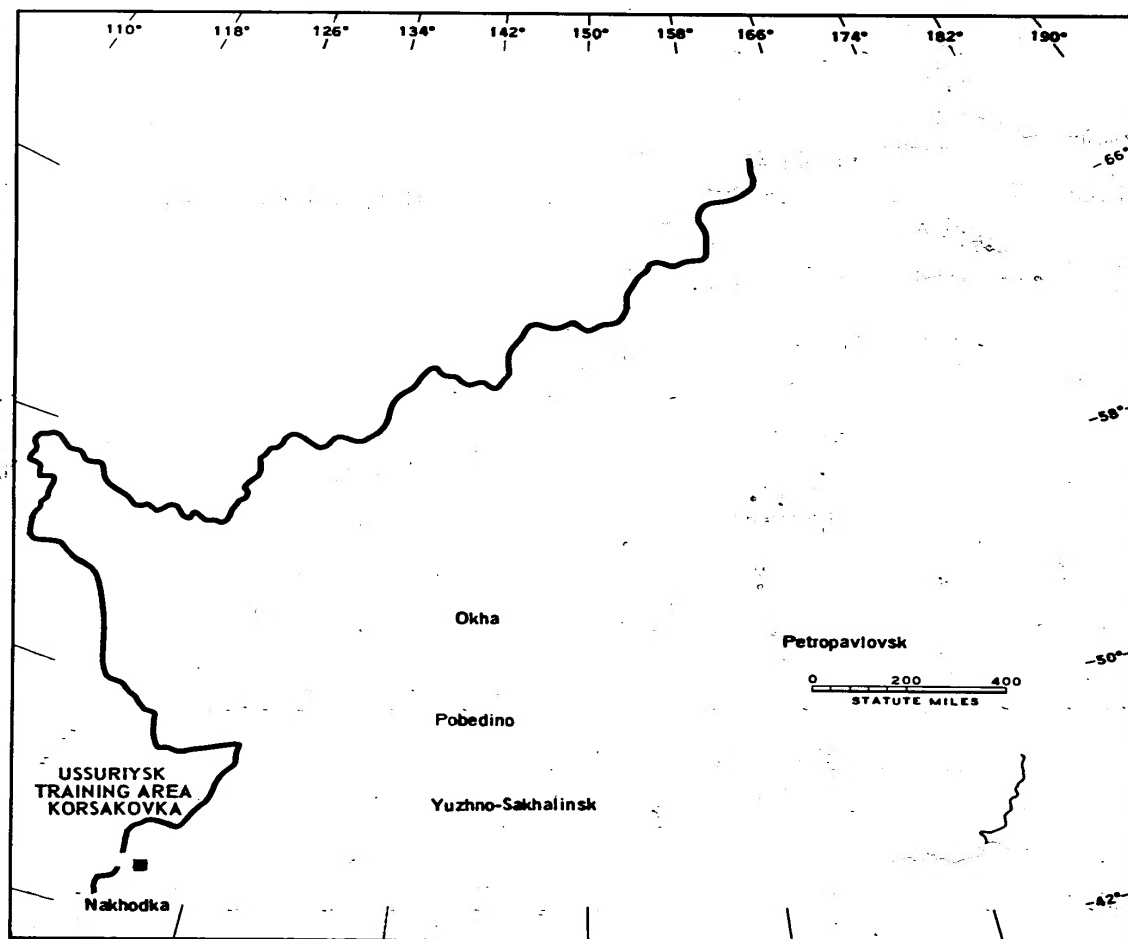


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF USSURIYSK TRAINING AREA KORSAKOVKA.

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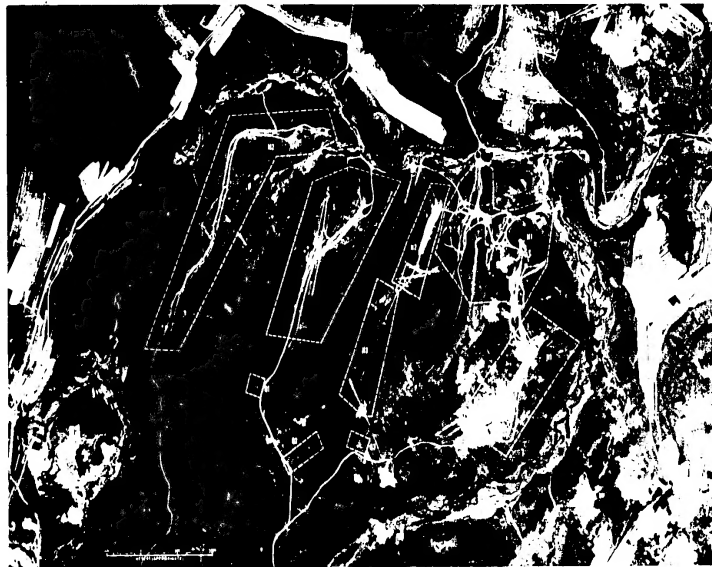
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SUMMARY

Ussuriysk Training Area Korsakovka is located approximately 30 kilometers (km) west of Ussuriysk (Figure 1). Access to the training area is by secondary all-weather roads.

The training area encompasses approximately 3,600 acres and is composed of 2 tank/assault-gun firing ranges, 1 probable moving target run, 1 AAA practice site, 1 possible AAA site, 1 possible artillery emplacement with 3 positions, 1 aircraft bombing range with a bombing circle and 13 identifiable airplane silhouettes, and 1 driver-training area. There are at least 6 buildings scattered throughout the training area; however, the quality of the photography precludes identification of range build-

ings or of explosives or POL storage areas. A possible driver-training area consisting of 2 parallel roads, is north of the bombing range (Figure 2).

The training area has been covered by 6 KEYHOLE missions of interpretable quality. Photography of [REDACTED] indicates no winter activity in the training area. There has been no apparent change at this installation since its initial coverage in [REDACTED]

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This installation appears to serve both the Army and Air Force garrisoned in and around the city of Ussuriysk.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

Secondary all-weather roads serve the training area.

Aircraft Landing Strip

Korsakovka Airfield [REDACTED] is approximately 15 km east of the training area.

Other Buildings

At least 6 support buildings are scattered throughout the training area.

Driver-Training Areas

Area M1 is an extensive, probably cracked-vehicle driver-training area.

Area M2 is a possible driver-training course.

Tank/Assault Gun Firing Ranges

Area N1 is a 3,900-foot tank/assault gun firing range with two 2,200-foot firing lanes and 1 moving target.

Area N2 is a 3,000-foot firing range with

two 1,700-foot firing lanes and 3 moving targets.

Area N3 is a range of undetermined length with 1 moving target. Faint trackage indicates possible occasional use of this moving target by tanks/assault-guns. However, the target run appears to be used more extensively than the range, indicating possible firing from some point not observed on current photography.

No range buildings were observed at any of the ranges.

Artillery Emplacements

Area Q1 is a 6-gun AAA site which is apparently little used and apparently associated with the bombing range.

Area Q2 is a 3-gun possible artillery emplacement which does not appear very active.

Area Q3 is an apparently seldom used 4-gun possible AAA training site.

Special Training Facilities

Area S is an aircraft bombing range with a bombing circle and 13 identifiable airplane silhouettes in rows of 4.

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